



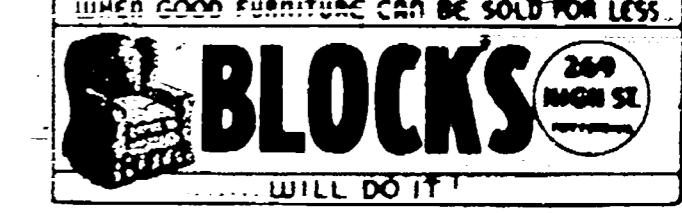
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WILL DO IT
FRENCH CLOTHES A CLOTH
FRENCH CLOTHES A WEEK

Marshall Asks U. N. Halt Balkan Threat to Greece

RED SATELLITES ARE FLAILED AS PEACE MENACE

Yugoslavia, Bulgaria And Albania Charged With Aiding Guerrillas

By LARRY HAUCK
NEW YORK, Sept. 14 (AP) — Secretary of State Marshall said today that Russia's Balkan satellites were threatening the independence of Greece and asked the United Nations assembly to stop them.

Marshall's frank accusation against Yugoslavia, Bulgaria and Albania came in a speech approved by President Truman and delivered here just two days before the opening of the 1947 session of the 55-nation assembly.

As Marshall set the tone for the U.S. approach to the critical session, Secretary-General Trygve Lie made an appeal in Baltimore for an end to "the chronic state of disagreement between the powers." Lie spoke at one of a series of meetings arranged in observance of the opening of a nationwide United Nations week.

Marshall's remarks before the American association for the United Nations were heard by several delegates from among an array of world leaders, including at least 20 foreign ministers converging on New York City.

"We are particularly concerned with the aid and assistance which are being provided by Yugoslavia, Bulgaria and Albania to the guerrillas in Greece—a direct threat to the territorial integrity and political independence of that country," Marshall said. "The solution must be a cessation of that threat and we earnestly hope that the general assembly will be able to devise means for accomplishing that end."

Lie drew a parallel between the periods after the two wars.

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110 Students Open New Term Today at Pine Forge Institute

Pine Forge Institute opens today with 110 students from 15 states, Portugal and Washington, D.C., enrolled for the year.

This term will see an advance in buildings, teachers, equipment and courses, the Rev. J. L. Moran, headmaster, said last night.

A new auditorium, seating 300, is expected to be finished in three weeks. New typewriters and adding machines have been added to the commercial course equipment, apparatus for laboratory work in physics and chemistry has been added and the courses in home economics will be expanded, the Rev. Moran declared.

Three faculty members have been added. Joseph Powell will come from Baltimore, Md., to be dean of boys, replacing H. W. Lawrence, who is on a leave of absence for work on his master's degree. Powell is a graduate of Oakwood college, Huntsville, Ala., a school of the Negro division of the Seventh

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Salvation Army Aid For Victim of Fire

The Pottstown Salvation Army will bring clothes today to Ray Carl, who was left with nothing more than the clothes on his back when his Spring Mount home burned to the ground Friday night, while he was attending an auction sale.

Capt. Meral Cox said the organization will send a supply of trousers, shoes and shirts and other items to Carl. Until he is able to build or lease a new home, Carl will stay with neighbors.

Carl first heard of the fire when a friend told him at the auction his home had been destroyed. He had recently recovered from an illness, Capt. Cox said, and the news caused a relapse which forced Carl to visit a physician in Philadelphia over the weekend.

THE WEATHER

For Eastern Pennsylvania: Increasing cloudiness and warm today, followed by scattered showers and cooler tonight.

88 Mercury 71 High Antics Low

TEMPERATURE EXTREMES
Local temperatures yesterday and early this morning were:

1 a.m.	75	4 p.m.	83
2 a.m.	73	5 p.m.	82
3 a.m.	75	6 p.m.	81
4 a.m.	74	7 p.m.	83
5 a.m.	74	8 p.m.	82
6 a.m.	74	9 p.m.	81
7 a.m.	79	10 p.m.	77
8 a.m.	81	11 p.m.	75
9 a.m.	83	12 p.m.	74
10 a.m.	84	1 p.m.	73
11 a.m.	85	2 p.m.	72
12 p.m.	87	3 p.m.	71

One of the first patients admitted to the new pediatrics department of Pottstown Hospital when it was opened officially yesterday was Horace Crosby Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Crosby, Pottstown Rd. 1. With the youngster at his bedside is Mrs. Albert Hartman, 75 West Fifth street, president of the Junior Auxiliary of the Pottstown Hospital, which sponsored the project.

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PRICES HIGHER IN EAST CITIES, SURVEY SHOWS

Increased Costs Hit Entire Nation; West Maintains Lower Level

NEW YORK, Sept. 14 (AP) Hard-pressed consumers in Dallas, San Francisco, Denver and Kansas City fared better than those in eastern cities as they watched their food bills take off for the stratosphere between mid-August and mid-September.

An Associated Press survey of the retail price of eight foods in ordinary use in 13 key cities in all sections of the nation reveals that while the rising cost of food pinched everywhere during the month, New York, Philadelphia and Boston felt it more than the cities to the West.

Three possible world records were set, Jameson believes, but since the affair was not held under AMA auspices it will not be possible to claim them.

The possible record breakers were Robert Gable, Laureldale, who flew his glider for a total of 19 minutes, 10 seconds, to win a gold trophy in the glider division; R. E. Lenhardt, Berwick, who won the Pottstown 5-Minute Men's trophy with his Class C gas powered model flight of one hour, 28 minutes and 12.2/5 seconds, and Herman Rudley, Philadelphia, who won a wrist watch donated by Charles A. Lamour Sr., for his one hour, 35 minutes and 24 seconds high flight of the day.

Perfect weather helped make the meet a success. There were 105 contestants in the field, and a crowd estimated at 4000 to 5000 watched the proceedings during the course of the day.

There were a few casualties among the midget planes. Lenhardt lost his gas-powered model, and asked the finder to notify Jameson.

Two planes crashed in mid-air, both gas-powered jobs. One was gliding around in a test flight when a second rose from the ground and clipped it. The first plane remained in the air, but the second, minus one wing, fell to the ground and was put out of action.

A jeep from the service station of John D. Gauger, West High street, was kept busy during the day chasing planes that went astray and tracking down wandering gliders.

John J. Basco, operator of the Stowe-Pottstown airport, put on a half-hour demonstration of stunt flying with his small two-passenger plane. He went through a success.

Glass enclosures surround each cubicle, but curtains provide privacy when desired.

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Local Woman Is Sought in Reading Area

Mrs. S. Tamar Lessig, 81, widow of Hilary M. Lessig, disappeared at noon Saturday from the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Edward G. Edgerton, 400 Wyomissing boulevard, Wyomissing, Reading and Pottstown police, and State police of the West Reading barracks were alerted for a search.

Mrs. Lessig, who spends her time both with Dr. and Mrs. Edgerton and with another son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Harberger, 641 King street, was described on the police teletype as weighing 90 pounds, five feet tall, and dressed in a dark blue dress with white polka dots, a dark blue hat trimmed with flowers, and black shoes. She is believed to have been carrying a blue jacket.

Mrs. Harberger added that her mother wore a High school class ring on the ring finger of her right hand, consisting of a wide gold band with the numerals "84" engraved on it.

On her left hand she wore a platinum wedding ring, a gold guard, and a diamond engagement ring.

She was seen last outside a cigar store at Fifth and Court streets, Reading, at 4:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Lessig carried no pocketbook or any means of identification, and anyone who sees a woman of this description is requested to notify Mrs. Harberger or the police.

Weekend Heat Wave Sends Mercury to 88

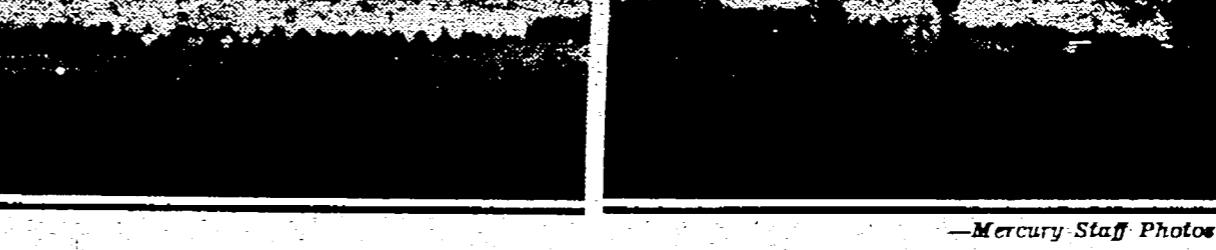
A sizzling weekend just about fried Pottstown residents, climaxed by a torrid temperature of 88 degrees yesterday, only four degrees of the all-time for the date, set in 1931.

For those who still have strength enough to enjoy them, the weather was fine for Summer sports, with the sun shining most of the time and high humidity reading letting us forget that Autumn is only eight days away.

Today is expected to be increasingly cloudy and warm, with scattered showers and cooler temperatures by tonight. Tomorrow, if the weatherman's forecast is reliable, will be clear and cooler.

Enjoy your luncheon today at Howard Johnson's Restaurant. Piano Tuning and Rebuilding Jos. E. Mack. Phone 3445-J. Eye Examination. No drops. Dr. Phillips, Optometrist, 240 High Street. Register Republican today Borough Hall, 2 to 9 p.m. Gretz Beer. Phone 2206

Piccard Family in Balloon Ascends From Kenilworth



—Mercury Staff Photos

Stratosphere explorer Dr. Jean Piccard wishes good luck to three members of his family as they prepared to ascend in a balloon early Saturday from the Kenilworth estate of Edward L. Gruber. In the basket are (left to right) Donald, his son; Joan, Donald's wife, and Dr. Piccard's wife. At the lower left, the balloon is shown as it left the ground and, at the lower right, as it floated higher, framed by one of the stately trees on the beautiful estate. The trip ended five hours later in Pleasant Valley.

Dr. Jean Piccard, world famous stratosphere explorer, waved farewell to three members of his family Saturday morning as they floated skyward in a balloon from the Edward L. Gruber estate in Kenilworth.

Five hours later, after what was described as a training flight for future stratosphere experiments the gas-filled bag settled slowly to earth in a field at Pleasant Valley, about 25 miles southwest of Allentown in Bucks county.

Donald, Dr. Piccard's son, who engineered the flight, climbed out of the basket. With him were his 18-year-old wife, Joan, and his mother, Jeannette, 60.

It was an uneventful trip, the 21-year-old balloonist reported, but for his pretty young wife it was "most exciting."

"I was thrilled," she exclaimed. It was thrilling, too, for the

handful of spectators who gathered along Schuylkill road at the Gruber estate before Saturday's break of dawn to watch preparations for the flight.

Not only was the ascent of a free balloon a rare spectacle for them, but associated with it was the Piccard family which pioneered the way in early stratosphere explorations.

The Piccard brothers, Jean and Auguste, added much to scientific knowledge of the stratosphere in the 1930s. Auguste, who lives in Belgium, still jointly holds one of the world's altitude records. Jean is professor of aeronautical engineering at the University of Minnesota.

The Gruber estate was chosen as the site for the ascent, Donald explained, because at that point a gas line of the Philadelphia Gas and Electric company could be readily tapped.

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The company's gas, he pointed out, is particularly suited for the inflation of free balloons.

The flight from Kenilworth came off with little advance fanfare. It had been planned for some time but weather conditions had not been favorable until Saturday.

Donald, a balloonist in his own right, had carefully watched weather reports. Then, with a prediction of a southeast wind of about 10 miles an hour, the family expedition got into high gear.

The Piccard family automobile, with the balloon and its equipment loaded on a trailer, arrived at the Gruber estate at 2:30 o'clock Saturday morning.

At this point, Donald took over supervision of the operations, assisted by his mother and his wife. Dr. Piccard served as observer.

The 42-foot silk bag, which

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bumper of an automobile that belonged to John Copenhafer, of 709 North Charlotte street.

The police — Sgt. Daniel J. Linton and Motor Patrolman Lewis Borgst — heard about these goings-on and investigated.

Asay told them of his impending parenthood and the police, understanding men both, nodded sympathetically.

So Jack Asay got to the hospital to see his wife and his brand-new son.

Perspiring, disheveled, Asay dashed up to the maternity department to see his wife.

She was fine and had everything under control.

It seems that the boy had been born at 1:15 o'clock that afternoon.

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SPICER GROUPS TO PURCHASE YOUTH CAMP

Union Local, Aid Society To Operate Development For Pottstown Children

Purchase of a fully equipped Summer camp along Manatawny creek near Earlville for use by worthy children of Pottstown at a non-profit rate of board was authorized at a joint meeting yesterday of Pottstown Local No. 844, United Automobile Workers of America (CIO) and the Spicer Mutual Aid association.

The camp, which is to be purchased from the Reading YMCA, will cost approximately \$25,000. It is expected children may be using the extensive recreation center the beginning of the summer of 1948.

The camp is one of the best equipped in Southeastern Pennsylvania. It contains a bunk house for 160 children, a dining hall accommodating 250, a large recreation hall, craft house, dispensary, guest house, etc.

There are courts for volleyball, basketball and tennis and a baseball diamond. There also is a stone firehouse on the premises.

The water supply is from artesian wells, and there are excellent facilities for boating, swimming and fishing. The spot is ideally located for a recreation center.

It was announced yesterday worthy children will be guests at the camp which will be conducted on a strictly non-profit basis. The camp will be conducted on an organized program under competent councilors.

Harper Diener is president of Local 844 while the Mutual Aid association is headed by Carl Herbine. The camp project is in charge of the board of directors of the Mutual Aid association and the executive board of Local 844. The aid association's directors include Herbine, Donald Filman, James Kelly, (Continued on Page Seven)

Blimp Flashes Mercury News Over Pottstown

Pottstownians read the latest news flashes

ITALY TO STAMP PEACE PACT AT PARIS MEETING

Formal Ratification
Means Nation Loses
Colonial Empire, Cash

By LOUIS NEVIN

POTTSSTOWN, Sept. 14 (AP)—Democratic Italy, reduced in size and faced with a formidable reparations debt, will rejoin the family of nations tomorrow with formal ratification of the peace treaty with the Allies.

Similar ceremonies will be held in Moscow's Kremlin, where the treaties with Hungary, Romania, Bulgaria and Finland will be deposited.

Although Italy will be paying off her \$350,000,000 reparations debt to Russia, Yugoslavia, Greece, Ethiopia and Albania for the next seven years, tomorrow's brief ceremony will mark the end of a national adventure which started with the Fascist march on Rome 25 years ago.

Tomorrow at 11 a. m. Italy returns to independent statehood, and thus ends the twilight period, which began Sept. 3, 1943, when Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower and Marshall Pietro Badoglio signed the Italian Armistice convention.

Italy's attack on France and her allies on June 10, 1940, has cost her under the treaty terms the amputation of approximately 3,000 square miles of her homeland, all her African empire, a number of her Mediterranean island possessions and economic difficulties for a long time to come.

She loses territory to France and Yugoslavia and the Dodecanese Islands to Greece. Yugoslavia gets the lion's share in the Istrian peninsula with about 500,000 inhabitants.

In Trieste, the time of Allied withdrawal from the Morgan line to the new provisional frontier between Italy and Yugoslavia was shifted from sometime Monday to 7 a. m. Greenwich time (3 a. m. Pottstown time) Tuesday. Maj. Gen. T. S. Airey Venezia Giulia area commander, said the change resulted from an official announcement that the proclamation of ratification of the treaty in Paris would be at 8 p. m. and the delay was to avoid confusion in troop movements during darkness.

Yugoslavia also obtained the Adriatic port of Zara and a number of islands in the sea.

Cession of the Istrian peninsula will cost Italy more than 1,000,000 tons of vitally needed coal annually.

France is to take over on Tuesday about 50 square miles in four Alpine towns, giving her the western watershed and important hydraulic works. The French have agreed to continue supplying northern Italy with electricity.

Violence Flares Near Trieste; Jeep Blasted

TRIESTE, Sept. 14 (AP)—Disturbances resulting in the death of an 11-year-old Italian girl and the wounding of a Slovene girl continued throughout various sections of Venezia Giulia today as the hour approached for the withdrawal of British and American troops from the Morgan line.

Amelia Passarini, the Italian girl, was killed last night when a burst of machinegun bullets was fired against a Communist cultural club in the Slovene district of San Giacomo in Trieste. Wanda Ierman, a 25-year-old Slovene girl, was wounded.

In the Monfalcone shipyards, which will be Italian under terms of the peace treaty, a Venezia Giulia police jeep was blown up. Minor disturbances occurred in Gorizia when Slovenes went on a buying spree to unload their Italian lire.

Meanwhile, two boatloads of Italian refugees have arrived in Trieste from the coastal city of Pola which will become Yugoslav territory under the treaty. The ships carried about 1000 Italians and their household goods—the last of thousands who have deserted Pola and converted it into a ghost city.

Iranian Ambassador Departs From Moscow

LONDON, Sept. 14 (AP)—The Moscow radio reported tonight Muzaffar Firooz, Iranian ambassador to the Soviet Union, had left Moscow. There was no amplification of the report, recorded in London by the Soviet monitor.

FORMER EDITOR DIES
WATERBURY, Conn., Sept. 14 (AP)—John McCandless Rainey, last city editor of the old New York Evening World, died today after a four-day illness.

Wear Modern GLASSES

Admiral Denies Deal With Reds

TSINGTAO, China, Sept. 14 (AP)—Adm. Charles M. Cooke Jr., today denied that medical supplies had been given to the Chinese Communists as ransom for a U. S. Marine flier who was released Thursday after two weeks in Communist hands. The report had been received from usually reliable informants.

The flier, Lt. Richard A. Winters, Gordon, Neb., was captured by the Communists Aug. 27 when his fighter plane made a forced landing on the coast.

Taft Plans Review Of Congress, Study Labor Law's Effect

EN ROUTE WITH TAFT TO LOS ANGELES, Sept. 14 (AP)—Senator Taft (R-Ohio) entrained tonight for Los Angeles where he will make two important policy speeches on the work of the 80th Congress and examine the effect of the Taft-Hartley labor law in the highly-unionized motion picture industry.

This is the second leg of a Western tour which he claims is solely to help me make up my mind whether to run for President next year.

On that score, Taft was obviously encouraged by the first results of the trip. He appeared twice before the State War of California, packed the house both times, and won the lions share of applause in debates with two Democratic opponents.

But he was cautious, in his private talks, contenting himself with the comment, "It looked very good, but it's too early to tell much."

He has said he will not make the decision about his presidential chances until the end of the tour next month.

He said high food prices could be remedied if people would "eat less extravagantly."

As to rent control, Taft said it is still too early to judge, but he asserted that public housing would have to be inaugurated to relieve the shortage of housing facilities.

The size of American exports to foreign countries is much too great, he declared, and said, "We can't go on at the rate of \$15 billion a year without it having an effect on prices."

In a private conference with local leaders of the Amvets, Taft reiterated his opposition to universal military training. He said the armed forces are adequate "at present," must be kept so, and advocated creating a body of military technicians rather than a huge army of basically-trained soldiers.

His forthcoming speeches on high prices and foreign policy will be made in San Francisco and Tacoma, Wash., respectively.

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Lauds Report



Cobb Bettered World Speed Mark; Damaged Car Halts Second Run

BONNEVILLE SALT FLATS, Utah, Sept. 14 (AP)—John Cobb of London roared through the measured mile at world record exceeding speed today but his car was damaged on the initial sprint and he was unable to make the return trip necessary to claim a new mark.

Cobb sent his 24-cylinder speedster through the measured mile at 370.75 miles per hour compared with his record of 368.9 miles per hour established on this same Bonneville course in 1939. He was clocked today at 375.32 for the kilometer, the fastest speed ever attained by man on land. His record for the kilometer, 369.7, was chalked up here in 1939 also.

After completing the first north to south run in a cloud of salt stirred up by the 24-foot-long speedster Cobb discovered a "raping hole" in the body.

He said vibration from numerous tests apparently weakened the aluminum body and the terrific clip this morning caused the metal to tear.

Cobb said it was "useless to attempt a return run with the car damaged."

American Automobile Association rules require speed drivers to run in two directions within one hour. Later, after inspecting damage to the metal, Cobb announced that he will make a new record attempt Tuesday between 4 and 6 p. m. Should that fail, he said, he will try again Wednesday morning.

Cobb said the holed-in tank would be removed, sent to Salt Lake City for repair tonight and brought back to Wendover for re-installation in the mammoth car.

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League Says Printers Violate Labor Law

BALTIMORE, Sept. 14 (AP)—Chargers that the International Typographical union (A.P.U.) and the Baltimore Typographical union No. 12 are violating the Taft-Hartley law by refusing to bargain collectively have been filed with the National Labor Relations board, regional director Ross M. Madden announced today.

The charges were brought by the Graphic Arts league, an organization

of 22 Baltimore print shops. The ITU was instructed at its national convention the past month by its president, Woodruff Randolph, not to sign any more written contracts with employers and the action initiated by the Graphic Arts league was believed to be the first since that time.

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Burgess Reprimands Boys for Gambling

Three boys from the Third ward were given reprimands Saturday afternoon at borough hall by Burgess William A. Griffith. The lads had been rounded up by police earlier in the week while playing cards for small cash stakes near the St. Clair school building, South and Charlotte streets.

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Douglassville Cattle Win Reading Fair Prizes

Numerous awards were won by the Ayrshire cattle exhibits, at the Reading Fair last week, of the Blackwood Farms, Douglassville, Cuthbert Nairn, owner.

Lane Homestead Sunny Louise was the grand champion senior cow, while Blackwood Vandy was the junior champion cow.

Other awards were as follows: Junior "Year Out" first prize, Blackwood War Beau, aged cows, first and second awards, to Lane Homestead Sunny Louise and Blackwood War Beau, three-year-olds, second prize, Oaklea Marigold; two-year-olds, first, second and third prizes, for home-bred animals, Blackwood Top Rose, Sunny Beau and Blackwood Beau; senior year cow, first prize, Blackwood Vandy; junior year cow, first prize, Sunny Miller; heifer calves, second and fourth prizes, Blackwood Fleckie and Rosalinda.

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\$1.35 Nylon Hose, 51 Gauge	89c
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DEATHS and FUNERALS

JULIA (BEACHARA) KOURY, 63, widow of Nicholas Koury, of the Ayrshire cattle exhibits, at the Reading Fair last week, of the Blackwood Farms, Douglassville, Cuthbert Nairn, owner.

Two months ago she was admitted to Pottstown hospital, and the past Wednesday was removed to the Grace hospital.

She was the owner of a restaurant at South and Hanover streets for several years, returning from the business about ten years ago to conduct a rooming house. Previous to his death her husband had conducted a restaurant there for many years.

... member of St. Alousius Catholic church, her only immediate survivor is a brother, Peter Beachara, who is living in South America.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock from a funeral home at 112 North Washington street. Solemn high requiem mass will be celebrated in St. Alousius Catholic church at 10 o'clock.

Interment will be made in St. Alousius cemetery.

Funeral services for **JAMES W. CONRAD**, husband of Josephine Drumheller, Conrad, of 811 NORTH CHARLOTTE STREET, were held Saturday afternoon at 2

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MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1947

Tact is one of the first mental virtues, the absence of which is often fatal to the best of talents; it supplies the place of many talents.—Simms.

September's Promise

SEPTEMBER is the bridge which links Summer and Autumn. After Labor Day passes there is a quick change in the spirit and the tempo of the days. The weather may be feverishly hot and languid still, but there is a sense of exhilaration to be felt that is not found in June, July or August.

Far more than any other month except perhaps March, September holds a promise of approaching change, and as such is inherently exciting.

The promise which it brings is of a different life for mankind and for nature. Slowly the green canopy will be transformed into something vastly different to bright yellow or orange. The air, lacking the heat haze, will seem clearer and fresher. Skies will attain an almost violet tintness.

But much of the sensed change is simply in the minds of men. However, much they are creatures of habit, they also crave motion and a sense of progression. Though they may love Summer as the most carefree of seasons, there is a subtle, unconscious anticipation of the new things of September and October; new activities, new interests, new beginnings.

Like a traveler on a journey, they look forward to Paris even though they still have time to kill in London.

Some poetic mind has designated the last summery days of the dying season, in October or early November, as "Indian Summer," and a felicitous name it is.

The air may be balmy and the cicada still changing its mesmeric song, but the hand of autumn is clearly on the land. The leaves are turning, the daisies are no more, and the goldenrod casts a mustard yellow haze over the meadows.

Though there's a prospect of many warm days ahead, in spirit Summer is dead and our thoughts are on the new season.

Taft-Hartley Test

VOTERS in the Lehigh Valley area of Pennsylvania want to see the Taft-Hartley Act given a fair test in practice.

That is the conclusion to be drawn from the special congressional election in a district which, although regularly Republican, is both industrial and agricultural.

Franklin H. Lichtenwaite, 37-year-old Speaker of the Pennsylvania House, who supported the new labor law as "bipartisan legislation," has won by a majority, even larger than that of the late Republican Representative, Charles L. Gerlach, whose death caused the vacancy. The Lichtenwaite margin was more than 18,000. Ten months ago, Gerlach won by 15,000.

Since the Democratic nominee was Phil H. Storch, CIO-American Newspaper Guild advocate of Taft-Hartley law repeal, organized labor extended itself in opposition to the successful candidate.

The Republican majority cannot be discounted by saying that it was made possible by anti-labor votes in the rural areas. In highly industrial Allentown, the Republican nominee drew 13,084 votes to 12,698 for his Republican predecessor last year.

Labor's campaign against the Taft-Hartley law has received a sharp setback in this Pennsylvania district.

27 Years Added to Span

A HUNDRED years ago no American publisher would have touched Walter Pitkin's "Life Begins at Forty" with a 20-foot pole—not enough readers. For in those days, the average American's life ended at 40.

Today Pitkin's book which went on sale only 15 years ago, is itself as out of date as the model-T Ford. What is needed is a new volume: "Life Begins at Sixty!"

Proof came recently when American Medical Association president Edward Bortz revealed that the average 1947 lifespan is almost 67 years—27 more than an 1847 American could expect.

Science Needed

NOT since the president of Harvard delivered a series of lectures on science at Yale has so interesting a bit of news come out of New Haven. From now on, Yale will require a full two years, not one, of science.

"Revolutionary," Dr. W. C. De Vane, director of the Division of Humanities, calls it. Continued will be the combined physics-chemistry course for first-termers. Sophomore will be required to take a combined zoology, botany, psychology course. Says De Vane: "It is essential that all college graduates understand science in the atomic age."

Grampaw Oakley

PUNKIN CORNERS, Editor. The Mercury. September 14.

Dear Sir n' Brother:

Wal, I see by the papers where Greece's new prime minister is 84 years old. That proves courage is not solely the property of youth.

Small men, says an article, should not smoke big pipes. Especially those who have not yet reached their teens!

And say: After reading Page One, I have come to the conclusion that England is an island entirely surrounded by cities.

Grampaw Ned Oakley

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE

READERS SAY: Tariffs, Agreements Push Prices High

Letters must not be more than 200 words long, of current topics and must not involve personalities. Name and address of writer must be submitted with letter, or tear off label and mail with letter. Address of publication or request. Poetry and communications advocating the election of political candidates are not acceptable.

BY MERCURY READERS

Education of a Housewife

To the Editor: The government is in a dilemma as to how to get rid of powdered eggs — several hundred thousand dozen, I believe — while the price of fresh eggs in the stores threatens to rise to \$1 a dozen next Winter.

It seems the powdered eggs cannot be released by the Government for sale in this country because of "protective agreements" between the Government and egg producers.

Now at last I begin to see why it was that prices continued to rise so phenomenally despite the "competition" that was supposed to result from the termination of OPA.

Prices did not fall, as the anti-OPA crowd assured us they would, because the end of OPA did not for an instant mean the resumption of competitive trade.

Oh, no. The producers and manufacturers, howling to have price controls lifted, easily forgot to mention that there were a few thousand other controls — tariffs, "protective agreements," etc. — which in effect give certain of them monopolistic rights to produce, regardless of economy, and sell, regardless of price, some of the very necessities of life.

Okay, boss, let's really take the controls off. Let's take off the protective tariffs and agreements, too. Let's really have free competition, no holds barred.

I'll take my eggs powdered, thank you. Pottstown HOUSEWIFE

The Expense of Charity

To the Editor: I have just read the article about the Brazilian lady who won the right to wear the \$3000 pin for her work in the cancer drive.

I can't help wondering if she wouldn't have been just as proud to wear a less expensive emblem of her leadership. It takes 3000 one-dollar donations to pay for this one award. Couldn't that \$3000 have been left in the cancer fund to spend on research or to help cancer victims?

I think that more people would be glad to give to charitable organizations and all the different drives against diseases if more of the money were spent for its intended use and less on awards and banquet celebrations. If these are not paid for out of the proceeds, why doesn't whoever finances them add his money to the collection pot?

Pottstown M. T.

Buyers' Strike Suggested

To the Editor: We should have a buyers' strike right here in Pottstown. Let housewives boycott the high-priced food items and buy those which are sensibly priced.

Pottstown ANNA K.

The Worry Clinic

By DR. GEORGE W. CRANE

LAURA L., aged 30, dropped into my office, accompanied by her husband. "Sam doesn't love me any more," she accused, and began to cry.

"Aw, you know that isn't so," her husband defended himself. "But you just nag and argue so that my life's miserable."

"Dr. Crane, I don't do such a thing," she turned to me. "But I get no sympathy at home. Sam acts like a bear, and growls at me. Nothing I do is ever right. He says I'm crazy."

"For example, he likes strong cheese while I like mine mild, so we have two kinds on the table. This noon at lunch I decided to sample his cheese, and he yelled, 'Hey, what's the idea? Eat yours and leave mine alone!'

"Dr. Crane, I can't tell you what I've put up with during the eight years of our marriage. Why does he act like this?"

Some of you mature readers who have gone through marital squabbles of your own, will be amused at such petty criticisms as these. And to think, they may be used to sit and listen to such childish quarreling!

"Why don't they settle their problems by themselves, especially when they are so simple?" many people might logically answer.

That's exactly why this psychology column is running; namely, to help people learn how to adjust. And Laura's difficulty has a deeper basis than appears on the surface. Five major causes explain her quarreling.

First, she is hungry for more physical affection but doesn't know what is wrong with her, nor does her husband. Any hungry creature becomes cross and snarling. You parents have watched this in your children as well as in yourselves.

Laura is of an affectionate disposition. But her husband is not. So she picks at him or nags him. Nagging wives are usually sexually unsatisfied!

Nagging is one way by which a wife subconsciously tries to irritate her husband into laying hands on her. It is comparable to the naughtiness of children who don't mind a little spanking if they can thereby get their mothers' attention of the company and back to themselves.

Shakespeare perfectly understood this psychological mechanism when he wrote "The Taming of the Shrew." When their husbands fail them, they subconsciously put upon this nagging as a means of trying to force the man into his dominant role.

And the more he sneaksly submits, the more irritated the wife becomes, so she increases her shrewish tactics sometimes adding tantrums and hysteria to the picture. Yet this whole process can be entirely subconscious. Laura, for instance, had no conscious idea of what was wrong with her.

The other four reasons for Laura's trouble are found in the fact that she has no children. Women like to fondle and care for living creatures, whether these be cats and dogs, or babies.

Husbands, who deliberately refuse to let their wives have children, are just giving their own marriage a big shove toward the brink of divorce.

Laura and her husband also had no religious allegiance. They weren't members of any church, so they received no regular urging toward unselfishness.

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Grampaw Ned Oakley

WASHINGTON

Martin to Feel Pulse In Cross-Country Tour

By RAY TUCKER

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14 — Speaker Joseph W. Martin Jr. soon will set forth on one of the most extraordinary tours that the presiding officer of the lower chamber has ever made. His cross-country findings may influence the shape of legislation at the next session, help to frame the 1948 platform and also affect the selection of the GOP candidate.

The shrewd Yankee will do a minimum of talking, despite several scheduled speeches, and a maximum of listening. He first will ascertain the nationwide reaction to the party's legislative record at the recent session of Congress. He also will try to discover public sentiment on tax reduction, foreign loans, the Hartley-Tait Act, a farm program, social welfare measures and veterans' demands.

As is his wont when campaigning in his own Massachusetts district, Martin will consult with the rank-and-file as well as with the party bigwigs. He will talk with small farmers, tradesmen, business men, labor representatives. He already has asked leaders in various sections to arrange what might be termed "town meetings" for him.

MONEY: It is probable that the Speaker's most important and difficult assignment will be to listen to the "eyes" and "hays" on the Knutson versus the Marshall Plans.

To put it another way, he will try to find out whether the American people's principal desire is tax reduction (Knutson) or aid to Europe (Marshall) that may total 20 billions over the next four years.

Martin recognizes the dangers and implications of Russia's threat toward our form of economy and government. He was anti-Communist long before the Administration shifted its attitude. But he wonders whether the same amount of money could not be better spent in strengthening the U. S. internally, economically and militarily.

"GIMME": It is recalled that he was instrumental in sending the Eason-Harter Committee to Europe to recheck the "gimme" blueprints which European experts have drawn up at Paris in response to the Secretary of State's Harvard offer.

He explained then that he did not intend to accept blindly the estimates tossed at the money appropriating body by the White House or the men at Paris.

Next to Senator Robert A. Taft of Ohio, the Senate "boss," the Atchison publisher and manufacturer is undoubtedly the most influential figure on Capitol Hill.

CHANCES: Besides digging up data that will help to frame next year's legislation and the party platform, Martin naturally will try to measure the strength of the various avowed and suspected candidates for the Republican presidential nomination in 1948, including his own chances.

Martin has been listed as sympathetic to Gov. Thomas E. Dewey, but he is believed to have an open mind as of the present. The Taft people hope for his support, pointing out that he is jointly responsible with the Ohioan for the achievements of the first session of the present Congress.

Indeed, they have mentioned him as a possible running-mate if the Cincinnati man should be the nominee.

SHOWDOWN: Lastly, the Speaker's report will help to determine what course the GOP will pursue in the next session and in the 1948 presidential campaign. In 1940 and 1944, with Wendell Willkie and Dewey as the standard bearers, the opposition did not meet the New Deal head-on. Both simply promised that they would execute Rooseveltian reforms more efficiently and economically.

Many Republicans now demand a showdown between Republican conservatism, tempered to the needs of the present day, and President Truman's neo-New Dealism. This will be the basic issue between the Taft and the Dewey-Warren-Stassen forces at Philadelphia next June.

After speaking at Milwaukee, Denver, San Francisco and Los Angeles, and after conferring at way stations en route, Speaker Martin may have a partial answer.

GOLD: Confidential reports from our diplomatic and financial experts in London and Paris convince Treasury and State officials that British Foreign Secretary Bevin hereafter should confine his remarks to his own field and shun such a controversial question as possible redistribution of Fort Knox gold. He spoke under a complete misapprehension of the problem, according to these experts. Here is their version:

For some time, certain British interests, including owners of gold stocks, have suggested privately that the U. S. boost the price of gold from \$35 to \$50 an ounce. The increase would net a neat profit for the British and French, who have holdings estimated at \$6,000,000,000.

ARTIFICIAL: The upward revaluation also would boost the value of this nation's hoard by approximately ten billions. Then, according to the Bevin theory, this artificial gain could be used to finance that amount of loans to European nations. It would lessen the sum that would have to be raised by taxation or added to the public debt. That, in short, is the origin of the Bevin plan.

In branding the Foreign Secretary's scheme as "cockeyed," Treasury spokesmen note that such a revaluation would raise prices here at a time when they are already skyrocketing. As a result, England and other foreign nations would have to pay even higher prices for re-habilitation goods, raw materials and machinery. It would be a case of robbing Uncle Sam to pay John Bull, and neither would benefit.

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PLANK STEAK



In Hollywood

By JIMMIE FIDLER

HOLLYWOOD, Sept. 14 — As usual, I'm baffled—and this time about the way Sonny Tufts is being handled by Paramount. From all I hear, I gather that Sonny is a bit

Egyptians Blame U. S. For Council's Decision

CAIRO, Egypt, Sept. 14 (AP) — Al Kashkool, weekly newspaper of the Moslem brotherhood in Egypt, said in an editorial in this week's edition that the United States was mainly responsible for the United Nation's Security council's failure to support Egypt's demands in its dispute with Great Britain.

"The United States' place," the editorial declared, "is in the accused box as criminal number one, who plotted with Britain to murder 27,000,000 inhabitants of the Nile valley."

"Had the United States, enemy of freedom, supported the cause of freedom, China, Brazil and Colombia would have followed its lead. We then would have obtained a decision in our favor."

"Fathers of Egypt should tell their children and grandchildren about this. Hate the United States! Spread this hatred everywhere and watch for the nearest opportunity for revenge!"

COMMISSIONER DIES

PITTSBURGH, Sept. 14 (AP) — John S. Heron, nominated only the past week by the Republican party for a fourth term as an Allegheny county commissioner, died yesterday at 74.

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Sept. 15, Tomorrow, Sunday school board of control meeting, 8 p. m. Boy Scouts, 7 p. m. Today, Boy Scouts, 7 p. m. Wednesday, mid-week service, 7:45 p. m. Thursday, choir rehearsal, 8 p. m.

SCOUTS

Scouts Memorial, the Rev. James D. Marchese, pastor. Today, Boy Scouts, 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, mid-week service, 7:30 p. m. Thursday, Girl scouts, 8 p. m. Friday, choir rehearsal, 8 p. m.

OTHER CHURCHES

Christian Science, 9:30 High street, Wednesday, meeting—testimonies of Christian Science healings, 8 p. m. Christ Episcopal, the Rev. George A. Knicker pastor. Today, Boy Scouts, 7:30 p. m. Tomorrow, Girl Scouts, 7:30 p. m.

PROTESTANT

First, the Rev. Delaine E. Story, pastor. Tomorrow, board of Christian education meeting at home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. King, 421 King street, 4 p. m. Wednesday, mid-week service in cruise class room, 7 p. m. Below ship hour in social room, 8 p. m.

SECOND

Second, the Rev. Heywood Butler, pastor. Thursday, mid-week service, 7:30 p. m.

EVANGELICAL

First Presbyterian, the Rev. A. Burton Gandy, pastor. Tomorrow, Guild dinner at Lakeside Inn, 6:30 p. m. Wednesday, mid-week service, 7:30 p. m. Boy Scouts, 7:30 p. m. Thursday, Women's prayer meeting, 2 p. m. Bible study and prayer meeting, 8 p. m.

LUTHERAN

St. Peter's, the Rev. Kenneth R. Anderson, pastor. Today, Girl Scouts, 7 p. m. Boy Scouts, 7:30 p. m. Tomorrow, Boy scouts, 7:30 p. m. Thursday, Girl Scouts, 7:30 p. m. Friday, Girl Scouts, 7:30 p. m.

WESLEYAN

Emmanuel, the Rev. Luther A. Krouse, pastor. Today, Farewell reception for Dr. and Mrs. Marakim, 8 p. m. Tomorrow, Luther League executive board meeting, 7 p. m. Wednesday, Girl Scouts, 7:30 p. m. Thursday, Girl Scouts, 7:30 p. m.

ANGELIC

St. John's, the Rev. Robert M. Lamplighter, pastor. Tomorrow, Catechism class, 4 p. m. Junior choir, 6:45 p. m. Senior choir, 2 p. m. Thursday, High school choir, 8 p. m.

TRANSCENDENTAL

Transfiguration, the Rev. Theodore L. Fischer, pastor. Today, tomorrow, mid-week service, 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, Clove Leaf tea room, 7 p. m. Thursday, Laura Horn circle meeting at church, 8 p. m. Thursday, Junior choir, 3:45 p. m. Chapel choir, 4:30 p. m. Senior choir, 7:45 p. m.

EVANGELICAL

St. James, the Rev. Gustave W. Webster, pastor. Today, Boy Scouts, 7 p. m. Thursday, Chancel choir rehearsal, 8 p. m.

PROTESTANT

Grace, the Rev. Asa S. Wohlsen, pastor. Today, evangelism visitors, 7 p. m. Boy Scouts, 7:30 p. m. Tomorrow, Evangelism visitors, 7 p. m. Wednesday, Senior choir, and Girl Scouts, 7:30 p. m. Friday, evangelism meeting, 7 p. m.

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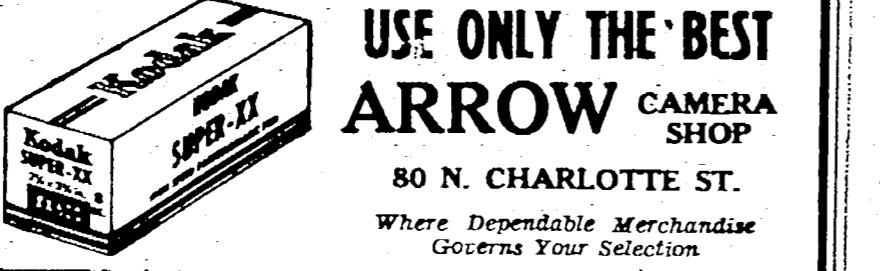
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Kaiser Believes High Steel Production Strong Safeguard Against Depression

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14 (AP) — The Kaiser said today he does not believe "we will have a depression unless our own timidity invites it one" and that the way to avert it is by expanding steel production.

He proposed encouraging further private expansion of steel making facilities by Federal tax concessions so that tax exemption for depreciation could be claimed at a greatly speeded rate.

Such a provision during the war, the West Coast industrialist said in a statement, resulted in \$1,200,000,000 being invested in increased steel capacity and helped shorten the war.

The accelerated depreciation plan, Kaiser said, would be an incentive for private capital with no need for the Government itself to get into the steel business.

"For, if the Government extends this protection; if steel capacity is then expanded and if then, as I believe, we do not have a depression, because an ample and comprehensive steel supply is our best insurance against it, there will have been no loss to any element—steel management, government or the public; all would have gained and indeed all would have averted a disaster," Kaiser declared.

Kaiser, who got into the steel business during the war, said long

German Newspaper Says Reds Taking Grain Home

BERLIN, Sept. 14 (AP) — The "Neue Zeitung," official German newspaper of the American military government, reported today the Russians shipped out of Germany to the Soviet Union in the past fortnight 222 carloads of grain and 14 carloads of livestock.

The newspaper claimed that this represented "only a fraction" of what the Russians were actually taking out of Germany, "despite the fact that drought damage will force a cut in food rations for Germans."

American experts have estimated that the grain crop in the U. S. occupation zone had been damaged 20 to 40 percent by drought. Since the drought has been Germany-wide, losses nearly comparable were believed applicable to crops in the other three occupation zones.

Prince Elected Solicitor For State Association

Joseph L. Prince, of 821 Queen street, wellknown attorney, vice-president of the Citizens National Bank and Trust company, and solicitor for the Montgomery county controller's office, Norristown, was named solicitor for the Pennsylvania Association of County Controllers at the concluding session of the organization's convention Saturday at Wilkes-Barre.

Arthur R. Collins, of Sharon,

Mercer county controller, was elected president, succeeding Howard H. Krupp, of Doylestown. Bucks county controller. The next convention in 1948 will be held in Reading.

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Mr. Cleveland R. Williams gave his daughter, Betty Mae, in marriage yesterday afternoon when she became the bride of Mr. Thurman K. Weikel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest K. Weikel, 428 King street, in the newly-renovated Trinity Evangelical and Reformed church.

The Rev. John B. Frantz, pastor, performed the double ring ceremony before an altar banked with white gladioli, pompons and palm.

The bride, who is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland R. Williams, 553 North Charlotte street, was gowned in an ivory slipper satin gown with a low illusion neckline and a pointed collar beneath the embroidery of seed pearls. The skirt featured a cocktail front also embroidered in seed pearls, with a round scalloped train. The long sleeves were pointed at the wrists.

Her fingertip veil with a scalloped edge fell from a tassel of seed pearls and she carried a prayer book topped with two orchids and bouvardia.

The maid of honor, Miss Joan Fulmer, was gowned in a peacock blue taffeta gown featuring an off-the-shoulder neckline with a wide lace fitted bodice and a full skirt. She wore matching gauntlets and a half hat of matching train.

Miss Barbara Stetler and Mrs. Robert Bohner, the bridesmaids, were gowned in dusty rose taffeta gowns featuring a fitted bodice with a high button neckline and a full draped skirt. They wore matching gauntlets and matching half hats of tulle.

The attendants carried nosegay bouquets of roses and pompons trimmed with tulle matching their gowns.

Mr. Robert Bohner, performed the duties of best man. Ushers were Messrs. Edward Kovach and Harry Lester.

Mrs. Williams, mother of the bride, wore a black dress featuring a high neckline and a draped skirt with black accessories. Mrs. Weikel, mother of the bridegroom, wore a navy blue dress trimmed in pink and navy accessories.

The wedding reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hughes, sister and brother-in-law of the bridegroom. Guests attended from Washington, D. C., New Jersey, Reading, Norristown, Royersford and Philadelphia.

Mr. Weikel and his bride left on a honeymoon trip to New York City and on their return will reside at the home of the bride.

For traveling Mrs. Weikel chose a moss green gabardine suit with a brown felt hat and brown alligator accessories.

Mr. Weikel is a graduate of the Boens Watchmakers school in Philadelphia and is now employed in a jewelry store in Reading. Mrs. Weikel is employed by the Spicer Manufacturing company.

**South Coventry Pupils
Elect Glee Club Heads**

The boys' and girls' Glee clubs of the South Coventry consolidated school recently elected the following officers:

The boys' Glee club, the "Singing Strings," Wayne Fulmer, president; Lowell Fries, vice president; Charles Gross, secretary; Donald Wily, treasurer and Thomas Bishop, librarian.

The girls' Glee club, the "Sweater Girls," Nancy Weidman, president; Gwendolyn Manthorne, vice president; Dorothy Kuntzleman, secretary; Barbara Brockerman, treasurer; Barbara Henretta, Kulevsky, librarian; Barbara Dunn, assistant librarian, and Helen Reed, scrap book.

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Glorianette Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Robinson, 128 North Warren street.

Henry Polak, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Polak, Main street, Linfield.

Robert Grum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grum, 376 Walnut street.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hossman, 883 Queen street.

Yesterday

Gerald Lee Pusch, Pottstown RD 3, aged five years.

South Coventry PTA.

To Meet Thursday Night

The executive officers of the South Coventry PTA were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Manthorne, at their residence in Boyertown.

It was announced that the PTA meeting will be held on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, at which time all parents are urged to attend.

The theme will be "Hot Lunches" and an inspection of the new kitchen will be made by the teachers and parents attending. Refreshments will be served during the social hour.

Those present at the board meeting were Mr. Elwood Potts, principal; Mrs. Belva Kulp, treasurer; Mrs. Robert Ed, vice president; and Mrs. Evelyn Kirby, secretary.

Mr. Manthorne is president and Mrs. Manthorne is in charge of the entertainment.

**South Coventry Pupils
Elect Glee Club Heads**

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tyson, 329 South Main street, Spring City, are vacationing in Chattanooga, Tenn.

The Rev. Robert Nelson and the Rev. Clayton J. Bates of Glenwood are vacationing in Chicago, Ill.

Grant Yerger of Rattlesnake Hill, who was confined to bed, is reported to be much improved.

Adam Levingood, of Atlantic City, spent his Summer vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Levingood, Summit Village.

Mrs. Mary Kirkhoff and Mrs. Ruth Hilborn, Rattlesnake Hill, are spending two weeks with Mrs. Hilborn's parents in Winter Haven, Fla.

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WEDDINGS

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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Christman, New Berlinville, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Saturday in Pottstown hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John LeFever, Gilbertsville, are being congratulated on the birth of a daughter Saturday in Pottstown hospital.

A daughter was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Elliot in Pottstown hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wells, 529 King street, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son yesterday in Pottstown hospital.

A daughter was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Niggl, Pottstown RD 4.

Mr. and Mrs. John Asay, 330 North York street, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son yesterday in Pottstown hospital.

A son was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Dowhunck, Elverson in Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Moyer, Boyertown, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter in Memorial hospital.

A daughter was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lester, Boyertown, in Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Hallman, Royersford RD 1, announce the birth of a son Friday in Memorial hospital.

J. Eileen Evans Engaged

To Mr. T. Edmund Wells

Mr. and Mrs. Horace U. Evans, 8 West Third street, announce the engagement of their daughter, J. Eileen, to Mr. T. Edmund Wells, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank N. Wells, 400 North Franklin street.

Mrs. Evans was graduated from the Pottstown High school, class of 1941 and is employed as secretary to Janet Swartz, grade one.

Mr. Wells is also a graduate of 1935 and is employed as a draftsman by the Bethlehem Steel company. He served four years with the U. S. Army, two of which were spent overseas in the European theater of operations.

No date has been set for the wedding.

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cumber, honorable mention went to Mary Urner.

Grade two: Pumpkin, Betty Jane Spheder, endive, Nancy Burke, gourds, Jeanette Davidsohofer, watermelon, and lima beans, Betty Jane Sephard; miniature tomatoes, Janet Davishofer, grade two, and Grace Scholl, grade four.

Novelty arrangements. First prize, Jeanette Davidsohofer, grade two; second prize, Joshua Hewitt, grade four, and third prize, S. L. Bailey, grade one. Honorable mention went to Kent Steinruck, grade eight, and Janet Swartz, grade one.

Potted plants: First prize, Marion Marcus, grade seven; second prize, Joshua Hewitt, grade four, and third prize, Roland Marcus, grade five. Honorable mention to Nancy Berkey, grade two, and Janet Swartz, grade one.

Novelty arrangements. First prize, Jeanette Davidsohofer, grade two and Billy Wilke, grade one. Honorable mention went to Grace Shantz, grade one.

Under the vegetable division the first grade winners were Pumpkins; first prize, Grace Shantz; second prize, Joanne Somogyi, tomatoes, first prize, Louis Crothers; second prize, Kenneth Buckwalter; beets and peppers, Donald Levingood; peaches, Kenneth Buckwalter, squash, David Kimes and cabbage, Richard Hazzard.

Novelty fruit and vegetables, first prize, Lillian Miller, grade eight and second and third prize, Jeanette Davidsohofer.

It was announced the next meeting will be held Oct. 9.

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EX-TRACK STAR —

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or about six hours before papa began his circuitous odyssey.

Only two other minor accidents occurred in the Pottstown area over the weekend.

Three men were slightly injured Saturday morning when their car ran over an embankment on the Pottstown-Pine Forge road, west of Glasgow, and struck a tree.

Robert McAllister, Pottstown RD 2, the driver and Jerry Miller, 411 Berk street, Stowe, were treated by a nearby physician and another passenger, Paul Trout, 604 East Race street, Stowe, was taken by an ambulance of the Good Will Fire company to Memorial hospital.

He was treated for multiple lacerations and abrasions of the right arm, a large laceration of the right armpit, and possible back injuries. His condition was reported as very good.

No one was injured in a three-car crash Saturday night at High and Keim streets.

George T. Faust, Perkiomenville RD 1, was driving north on Keim street and halted for a red light at High street. His vehicle was hit from behind by one driven by Joseph Gerenes, 23 High street, Phoenixville.

Immediately afterward, Gerenes sideswiped a Harp Brothers taxi, parked on the east side of Keim street.

Gerenes told Motor Patrolman Earl J. Roads and Patrolman Joseph Tress that the hydraulic brake fluid had leaked from his car and that the vehicle was out of control.

The front end of the faulty vehicle was damaged while the entire left side of the taxi was smashed in.

The rear fender of the car driven by Faust, which is owned by Lloyd Walker, Pennsauk, a passenger at the time, was damaged.

GAS RATES —

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bills in the four-county area, and in addition, approximately 1000 steam customers in West Chester, Coatesville and Philadelphia face increased costs.

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**Reading Baby Sitter
Fights Off Attacker**

READING, Sept. 14 (AP) — Helen Torr, a 17-year-old baby sitter told police officers Ward D. Harrison and Warren B. Menly, that she fought off a would-be attacker early this morning after he forced his way into the home of Thomas Bockius, Jr., where she was taking care of their 11-month-old child.

Miss Torr told police she was alone in the front room of the Bockius home when someone knocked on the front door. When she opened, the girl said, a husky youth grabbed her and forced her into the house where she screamed and grappled with him. After several minutes, Miss Torr told police, her assailant apparently became frightened and ran. She then ran to the front porch screaming and Mrs. Thomas B. Bockius, grandmother of the child, who lives next door, came to her assistance and then called police.

RED SATELLITES —

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to support his contention that the situation was far from hopeless. He noted that large parts of the world were on a war footing and in a state of crisis for nearly 10 years after the first war. Commenting on current conditions, Lieu called signing of the major peace treaties a pressing need.

More than half the 275 assembled delegates already were here and briskly engaged in hotel conferences.

Only Soviet Foreign Minister Molotov and British Foreign Secretary Bevin were missing from the list and the possibility still was held open that one or both might join the conference later.

Andrei Y. Vishinski, Molotov's top deputy; Hector McNeil, the No. 2 man in British foreign affairs; and French Foreign Minister Bidault delayed their arrival until Tuesday. Other delegates such as Australia's Herbert V. Evatt and Brazil's Oswaldo Aranha, rated the leading candidates for the assembly presidency; China's foreign minister Wang, and Foreign Minister Manuilsky of the Soviet Ukraine already were in pre-assembly conferences here.

Fire killed more people in Boston's Cocoanut Grove nightclub disaster than were lost by the American troops invading North Africa.

MODEL PLANES —

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cession of 20 successive loops, and a series of tail spins and rolls that left the audience gasping.

Later, another plane from his field, piloted by Joseph Buccaglia, joined him, and the pair went through an exhibition of close formation flying.

Melvin Haines, Reading, brought out his radio-controlled plane, but after a few minutes, he lost radio control of the model and was unable to resume his display.

Other prize winners and their winning times in minutes and seconds included:

Class A—John C. Diessel, Westmont, N. J., 13:35; Jack Oless, Eastern, 9:27; Eli Wever, Bethlehem, 9:26; Ted Fritchman, Hellertown, 8:4.

Class B—Lenhart, 15:37; Sonders, Gloucester, N. J., 11:14; 2:5; Jack Zanks, Bloomsbury, N. J., 10:37, and Robert Dowling, West Lawn, 10:03.

Class C—Lenhart, 1 hour, 28:12; 2:5; John McLaughlin, West Lawn, 23:00; Oless, 20:20, and Harry Kohl, Hazleton, 16:55.

These three classes comprised gas-powered planes, the size of the motors and of the planes varying from the smallest in Class A.

The winners in the rubber-band-powered plane division were Harry Werner, Robesonia, 59:57, and Gable, 32:20.

In the glider division, following Gable's 19:10 flight, the runners-up were John Eisenhower, Reading, 9:49, and Bill Lowrie, Narberth, 8:17.

All times included the three flights that the contestants made, except that Lenhart, the Class C winner, watched his plane win first prize with only one flight before it was lost. His single flight, however, was of longer duration than the combined three of his competitors.

Officials at the meet, in addition to Jamison, included Lamour, chief timer, Paul Jones and Paul Hartline, club members who weighed the ships, and Mrs. Paul Jones Sr., Mrs. Jameson, and Mrs. Walter Wetherby, who registered the airplanes. —

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**New Jersey Boy Admits
Killing Missing Youth**

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NEWARK, N. J., Sept. 14 (AP) — Fourteen-year-old Fred Walter Smigelski of Harrison confessed tonight to the slaying of John Preston Jr., 11, missing from his Kearny home since Friday.

S. K. McKee, New Jersey FBI chief, said young Preston's body was found by police in a machine shop in Harrison where Smigelski said he placed it after the slaying.

Smigelski admitted to the FBI

he wrote a ransom note to Preston's father, a truck driver, demanding \$1000 for the return of his son.

Harrison police said the body was partly slashed and cut across the neck and chest.

INSTITUTE —

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Day Adventists, whose Allegheny conference supports the institute.

Cordell Evans, from Pittsburgh, who has a master's degree in mathematics, will teach science and mathematics. Sylvie Moreno, a Puerto Rican with a master's degree in Spanish, will teach courses in Spanish, replacing N. E. Ashby who resigns. Hortense Moran will be added to the commercial department. She holds a master's degree from Howard University, Washington, D. C.

There will be a total of 12 on the faculty this term, and 15 other workers. Three new homes have been built for the latter.

POLICE RESCUE YOUTH

NEW YORK, Sept. 14 (AP) — Weighed for 17 hours in the chimney of a five-story Harlem apartment building, Henry Bishop, six-year-old Negro, was rescued today by police who cut a hole through the wall of an apartment and pulled the frightened boy to safety.

ACCIDENT INJURIES FATAL

HARRISBURG, Sept. 14 (AP) — Thomas Pendergast, 59, died in the Harrisburg hospital today of injuries received when he was struck by a bus on a downtown street

PICCARD BALLOON —

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Donald had purchased from the Navy as surplus, was spewed out on the green turf. Thirty-five pound bags of sand—100 of them—were hooked to the balloon net as ballast.

Then, through a rubber tube fastened to the balloon's "appendix," the highly inflammable illuminating gas was released into the large bag from a tap along the Schuylkill road.

As the balloon filled, ballast was continually adjusted to keep the bag in proper attitude. At 7:15 a.m., 35,000 cubic feet of gas had been pumped into the bag. A light tug hung over the area and a crowd of about 50 spectators had gathered when ballast was adjusted to permit attachment of the basket.

The balloon, shifted to a hill for clear ascent, started to rise slowly as young Piccard released more of the sand ballast. It rose vertically for about 400 feet and then drifted with the wind slowly over Pottstown's North end.

Dr. Piccard planned to follow the balloon by automobile but, becoming confused in his unfamiliar with roads in the area, soon gave up the chase and waited at the Valley Forge hotel in Norristown for word of the family's landing.

It wasn't until 4 p.m. when he

**Short Circuit Causes
Car Fire; Damage \$10**

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Fire in a car, caused by a short circuit in the horn's wiring, created considerable excitement at 8:45 o'clock Saturday night at High and Hanover streets. The automobile was owned by Joseph Maney, of Spring City. Damage was estimated at \$10.

Patrolman Joseph Thess saw the smoke issuing from the hood of the vehicle and notified the Good Will Fire company. Assistant Fire Chief Robert Roth, Frank Almond, John Wolack and Thess extinguished the blaze with a chemical extinguisher.

The apparatus was not taken from the fire house.

received a telephone call, informing him that they had come down in the Pleasant Valley area.

Dr. Piccard later said he never was worried for the party's safety. His son's ability as a balloonist was aptly demonstrated about six months ago, he pointed out, when he neared a Japanese free balloon in a flight over Minnesota. The balloon was one of many the Japanese had released during the war, and had floated across the Pacific.

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John Russell, Samuel Keller,

Michael Mayath, Stephen La-

zensky, Ralph Wentzel and

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64 Persons Attend
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Review School Days

A total of 64 persons — including 26 class members — attended the 12th anniversary reunion of class of 1935 of Boyertown High School Saturday night in Boyertown Inn.

"Down Memory Lane" — a program feature — had class members tell what they had done since graduation from high school. Master of ceremonies for the event was Gerald Kochel.

Guests of the group were Mr. and Mrs. George B. Swinehart, Swinehart spoke briefly, relating incidents which he recalled from the time the class was in high school. He pointed out that the class of 1935, with 69 members, was the largest one in school history at the time its members were graduated and he predicted larger classes in the future due to increased enrollment in the elementary schools. Kochel, the master of ceremonies, presented the floral centerpiece to Mrs. Swinehart.

Donald Rose, the class president, spoke briefly following the banquet. He welcomed those present and reviewed school events. He pointed out that because of the building program at the high school during the class' senior year its class night program and class play were both held in Keystone Fire company auditorium, while graduation exercises were conducted in St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church.

Rose also announced that 17 of the male members of the class served during the past war and that all of them returned safely. Fifty-five of the graduates are married, he said, and account for a total of 44 children.

Rose also said that most of the class members are still in Eastern Pennsylvania. Exceptions to this are Edward Greenwald, John Demetre, and Thomas Mutter, all of whom are in California; Arnold Benzon, who is playing in an orchestra in Rochester, Minn.; Merrill Derr, who is in New York City, and Ernest Renninger, a government employee in Washington, D. C. Renninger was present Saturday.

Letters were read from those unable to attend and a copy of the banquet program will be mailed to all members who were not there.

Rose was re-elected president at a business session conducted following his remarks. Other officers re-elected were Walter B. Lutz, vice

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MEETINGS

Rotary club tonight at 6:30 o'clock in Boyertown Inn. Speaker, Mr. Elmer R. Yarnell; subject, "Employees' Pensions." Chairman, Paul B. Harter.

Boy Scouts of Troop 3 tonight at 6 o'clock in Church of the Good Shepherd, Evangelical and Reformed.

Troop 1 Boy Scouts of Gilbertsville tonight at 7 o'clock.

Drum and bugle corps of Charles B. Yerger post 471, American Legion, tonight at 7:30 o'clock in Legion school rooms.

Teachers and officers of Sunday school of Church of the Good Shepherd, Evangelical and Reformed, tonight at 7:30 o'clock in Sunday school rooms.

Camp 140, POS of A, tonight at 8 o'clock in lodge room of Keystone Fire company.

Monthly missionary prayer meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in Gospel hall.

Luther League Rally Scheduled for Sept. 22

The Reading conference Luther League rally will be held in St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church Boyertown, on Monday, Sept. 22, at 8 p.m.

An attendance of 125 members is expected from the Reading conference group and a number have been invited from the Norristown conference league.

Committees to prepare for the event from the local group have been named and include the following: entertainment—Mary Louise March, Afine Hadad, George Schwenk, and Richard Stielz; refreshments — Marguerite Leister, Ruth Yerger, David Stielz, and Henry Johnson.

President: Elsie Gabel, secretary; and Mrs. Anna Mae Erb Miller, treasurer. Plans for a 15th anniversary reunion in 1950 were also made and the class decided to meet thereafter at five-year intervals. Each woman present received a red rosebud, the class flower.

The banquet was opened by singing "School Days" with Rose, the president, acting as song leader. Miss Gabel, the secretary, was accompanist. Lutz, the vice president, gave the invocation. There was also additional group singing during the dinner and the affair closed with the songs, "Till We Meet Again" and "Auld Lang Syne."

Present were Paul Bechtel, Mr. and Mrs. George Slanker, Wilson Fry, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fritz, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Froehle, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Isett, Thomas Gelbach, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Beck, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Schwanger, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Allern, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hillegas, Mr. and Mrs. David Lamsert, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bartman, Mr. and Mrs. James Shubler, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Stauffer, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Gaugler, Norman Moyer, Helen Johnson, Esther Reichert, Guthrie Rodgers, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Renninger, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Diehl, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Landis, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hertzog, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Starr, Miss Gabel, Mr. and Mrs. Swinehart, Mr. and Mrs. Kochel, Mr. and Mrs. Rose and Lutz.

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Legion Auxiliary Leaders
To Be Installed Sept. 23

Eva Dechert, Pennsylvania Eastern director of the Ladies Auxiliaries of the American Legion, will install the local auxiliary officers for 1947-1948 at the next meeting of the group on Tuesday, Sept. 23, it was announced recently.

The Auxiliary of Charles B. Yerger post 471, American Legion, the local group, had to cancel the picnic planned for Tuesday night because of inclement weather and met in his car on the parking lot before he could even get underway and two additional hours to reach Boyertown, after waiting to see the fireworks. The grandstand crowd Friday night exceeded 7000. Auto races yesterday afternoon wound up the 1947 exhibition.

Mrs. Helen Mauger gave a report on the state convention of auxiliaries held in Pittsburgh. She also told of her visit to the Scotland school, Scotland, Penna., and to the student there adopted by the local auxiliary. The school is run by the veterans and their auxiliary organizations.

Reports were also given on a recent meeting of the Schuylkill-Berks bi-county council meeting of the auxiliaries in Reading. Attending the council meeting from Boyertown were Mrs. George Stauffer, immediate past president; Mrs. Murrell D. McKinstry, president-elect; Mrs. Lawrence D. Kohler, Mrs. Ernest Weidner and Mrs. Walter Nagel.

Butter Sales Drop; Buyers Protest Cost

\$19,255 Estate Left By Clinton Weller

Housewives of Boyertown and vicinity are following the nation-wide buyers' resistance to the price of butter, it was reported by one large retail grocery market over the weekend.

Butter, which hit 91 cents per pound in this store, dropped about 15¢ in sales during the past week. This represented about 100 pounds less than the weekly average sales. That housewives were reacting against the rising price of this commodity was evidenced by a corresponding upswing in the sales of oleomargarine in this market. It was reported that oleo sales were up more than 15% and over 100 pounds of the weekly averages. At 5 p.m. Saturday, oleo was a sell-out in this store, with but three pounds remaining unsold. Usually, it was reported, three or four brands of the product are available at this time. Butter was stacked six-deep in the cooler.

One Boyertown market was selling oleo at a special price of three pounds for \$1 over the weekend. Further indication that Boyertown purchasers were buying more carefully came recently from a gas station operator, who reported that sale of regular gas was now running ahead of that of premium-price motor fuel. This represented a reversal of usual procedure, he said.

Y' Recreation Rooms Open Today for Fall

YMCA recreation rooms on East Philadelphia avenue will open for the Fall Winter and Spring season today with registration of children and teen-agers occupying the schedule of the room supervisors.

This year's schedule calls for use of the facilities by younger boys and girls from 6 to 8 p.m. each day and by teen-agers from 8 to 10 p.m. The minimum age for enrolling is eight years. Boys and girls from Boyertown and vicinity are invited to enroll. All those so doing will be issued membership card. There is no charge for registration or use of the facilities, which are provided by the Boyertown YMCA movement.

PERSONALS

T-4 Daniel Frey, of Gabelsville, who is not stationed at Walter Reed hospital, Washington, D. C., is spending a furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Frey. The Boyertown serviceman re-enlisted in the Army for three years in 1946. He will return to Washington Friday.

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Rural school day and farmers day attracted a record 53,351 persons on Friday at the Reading Fair, officials announced Saturday, and among the throng were hundreds of persons from Boyertown and vicinity.

Gates were closed at 8 p.m. Friday, since all parking space on the grounds was filled. One local fair visitor reported an hour's wait in his car on the parking lot before he could even get underway and two additional hours to reach Boyertown, after waiting to see the fireworks.

The Good Shepherd, Evangelical and Reformed, as the congregation observed its annual day of gift-giving to Phoebe Home for the Aged, in Allentown.

Children from the Sunday school were enlisted in the drive for products of the harvest. They came to the fair in class groups, made their gifts and then took their places in the congregation.

Among winners in the high school competition were the following: the Rev. Harper L. Schneek, pastor, presented a check for \$100 to the Good Shepherd.

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Second Avenue and Main StreetLoren A. Godshall
Weds Media Girl

Loren A. Godshall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Godshall, 324 Spring Street, Royersford and Miss Mary E. Gillespie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gillespie, Media, were united in marriage in Valley Forge Memorial Chapel Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, by the Rev. John Robbins Hart, rector, at a double ring ceremony.

Attending the couple were Dr. and Mrs. James Ridley, New York City, brother-in-law and sister of the bride. The bride had as her bridesmaids the following: Mrs. Ronald M. Goldsmith, Washington, D. C., a sister; Miss Barbara Jones, Media; Miss Kathryn Davidson, Media, and Miss Marilyn Kelly, Lansdowne.

Donald Goodsell, Royersford a brother of the bridegroom, Clifford Harmon, Baltimore, Md.; William Fisher, Essington, and Frederick Becker, Norristown, served as ushers.

Brivial music was provided by Miss Elizabeth Ace, vocalist and Mrs. Watson Caulfield, both of Media, organist.

A reception followed at the Ten-to-Six Club, Phoenixville, after which the couple left for New York City on a wedding trip. They will live at the Godshall home.

Mr. Godshall, advertising manager of the Floyd-Wells company, Royersford, graduated from Royersford High School and a Philadelphia school of advertising. He served four years in the U. S. Army during the war, including 18 months overseas.

The bride, a graduate of Media High School, is employed in a Philadelphia department store.

Fish and Game Group
To Hear Pheasant Report

Spring City Fish and Game Association will resume monthly meetings tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in the meeting room of Liberty Fire Company. A report of the recent pheasant release will be given. These birds were reared by the organization from chicks supplied by Pennsylvania Game Commission. Moving pictures of bass fishing will be provided for entertainment.

Two Fire Companies

Answer False Alarm

A false fire alarm gave Royersford firemen an unnecessary Sunday morning run yesterday about 11:10 o'clock. Responding to a supposed barn fire near town, firemen of Humane and Friendship companies failed to find the barn blaze and returned to their firehouses learning later the alarm was a false one. The matter was referred to Fire Chief Clair Buckwalter for investigation.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Royersford Grace Lutheran church announcements. Tonight, meeting of Girl Scouts, tomorrow night, Sunday school teachers and officers banquet Thursday night, meeting of Senior Scouts and choir rehearsals. Friday night, Tom Thump wedged in high school auditorium Saturday, 12 o'clock noon, auction sale at Lake View Park.

PASTOR VISITS COUPLE

The Rev. S. Neitz Dusinger, retired Evangelical minister, former pastor of Royersford Trinity Evangelical Congregational church, now living at Summit, N.J., has returned after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Horning, 452 Washington Street.

Twin Boys Classified

Deaths
FEAGER, In the American Oncologic Hospital, Philadelphia, on Saturday, Sept. 13, 1947, at the age of 65 years. Chester B. Feager, a retired Realtor and friends are invited to the services from the Nelson Funeral Home, 331 New St., Spring City, on Wednesday at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in cemetery friends may call at the funeral home Tuesday evening 7 to 9.

Card of Thanks

MERKEL
The family of the late J. Samuel Merkels desires to thank the kind neighbors and friends for the assistance and sympathy. Total tributes amount of \$1,000 were offered during their recent bereavement.

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Blames Sikhs



Mirza Abu Hassan Isphahani (above), Pakistani ambassador to the U. S., charged yesterday that the Sikhs in northwest India were mainly responsible for the trouble there.

DEATHS - FUNERALS

MRS. BERTHA M. (BENNER) FEAGER, 65, wife of Chester B. Feager, 248 Lost Avenue, Spring City, died in the American Oncologic Hospital, Philadelphia, Saturday, night at 10 o'clock, following an illness of six months. She was a patient in the hospital the past three months.

A lifelong resident of Spring City, she was born on Chestnut Street here, daughter of the late Jacob and Sarah Benner. She was a member of Spring City First Evangelical and Reformed church, Anna M. Ross council, Sons and Daughters of Liberty of which she was treasurer for 43 years, Camp 22, PO of A. Ladies Aid of Calvary American Legion post and Ladies' auxiliary of Sarung City Forest Tall Cedars of Lebanon, of which she also was treasurer.

Surviving besides her husband is a brother, H. LeRoy Benner, of the York Avenue address.

Funeral services will be conducted in a funeral home at 331 New Street Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with interment in Zion's cemetery.

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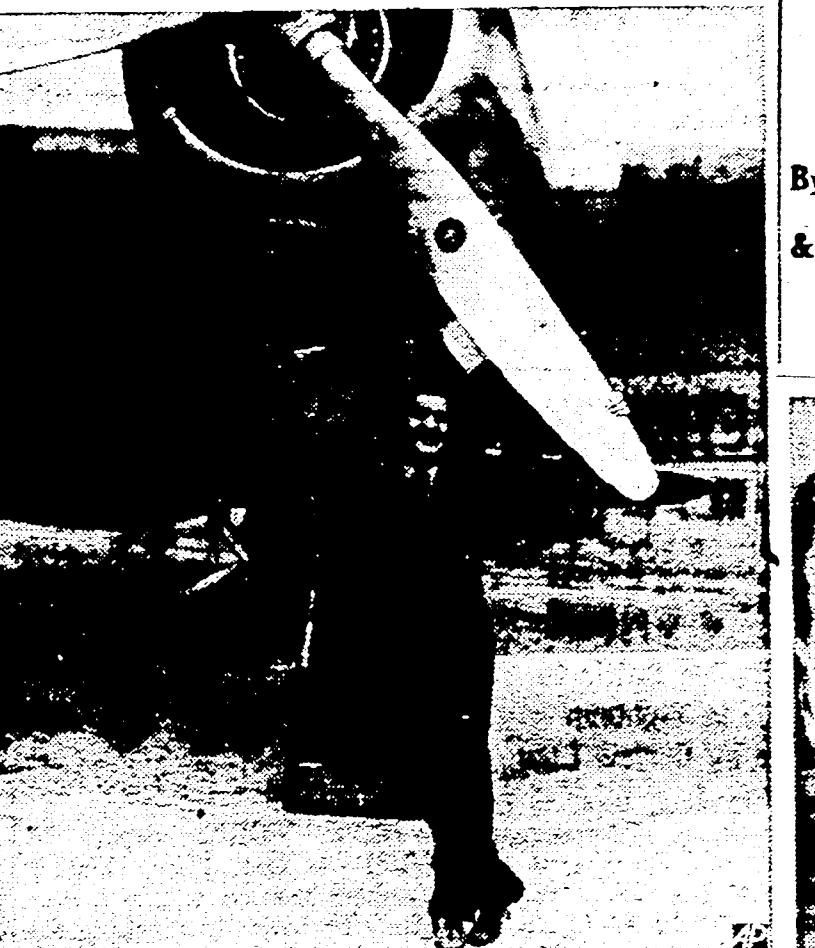
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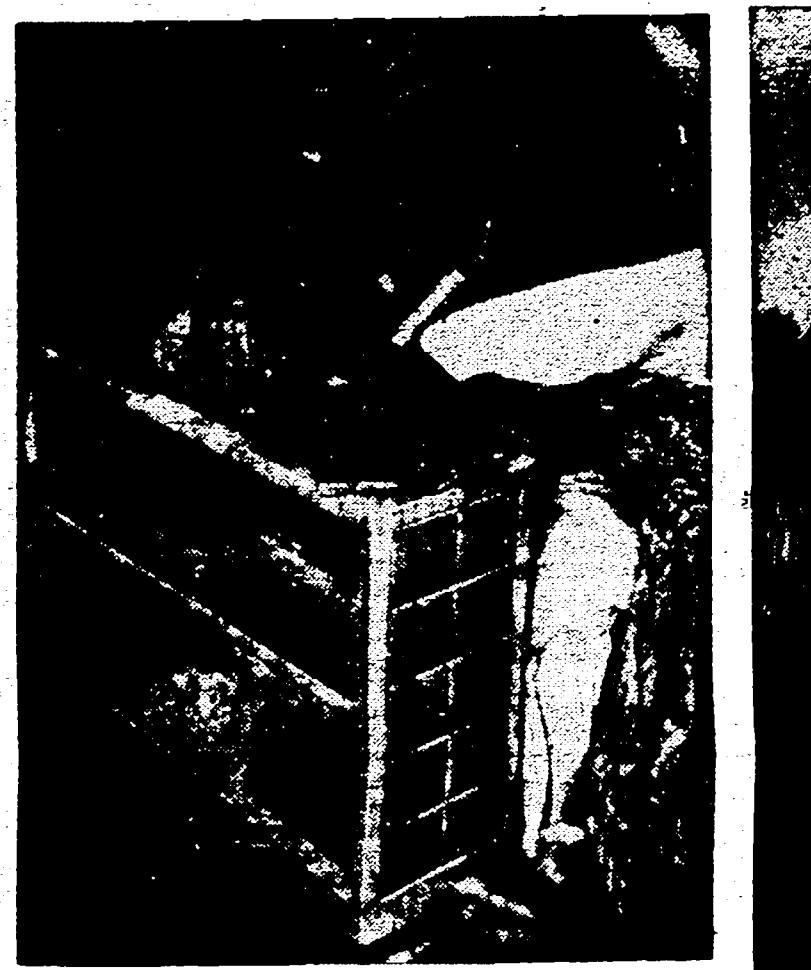
Late Photos of World Events



TRIPLET TRAVELERS — Jetta Quinlan, TWA hostess, poses with the Deen triplets, Christina, Megan and Katha (l. to r.) of Washington, D. C., at La Guardia Field, N. Y., as the triplets and their mother prepared for Cairo.



VETERAN AIRMAN — Dean C. Smith of New York, who 20 years ago carried the first air express shipment from New Brunswick, N. J., to Cleveland in a single-engine, open cockpit biplane, stands besides a 1947 air giant.



THREE-WAY FURNITURE — Teen-ager Joan Patsy Plicker of New York has a novel piece of furniture in her bedroom — a combination bookshelf, night table and headboard, finished top and sides with ceramic tile.



IOWAN IN ENGLAND — Henry Plagmann of Conroy, Iowa, one of a group of farmers studying British farm methods, tries out a tractor at Eashing dairy farm in Surrey.



SIDE-STEPPING presidential nomination issue, General of the Army Dwight D. Eisenhower chats with Thomas J. Watson, president of International Business Machines and trustee of Columbia university, as Ike arrives in New York for conferences at Columbia where he will soon become president.



RESCUE WORKERS ARE SHOWN EXAMINING the broken and twisted wreckage of an Army C-47 cargo plane which crashed against Spruce Mountain, 30 miles south of Denver, Colorado, killing the transport's three crew members. The craft was bound for Denver from Hobbs, N. M., when crash occurred. (International)



U. S. engineer takes survey



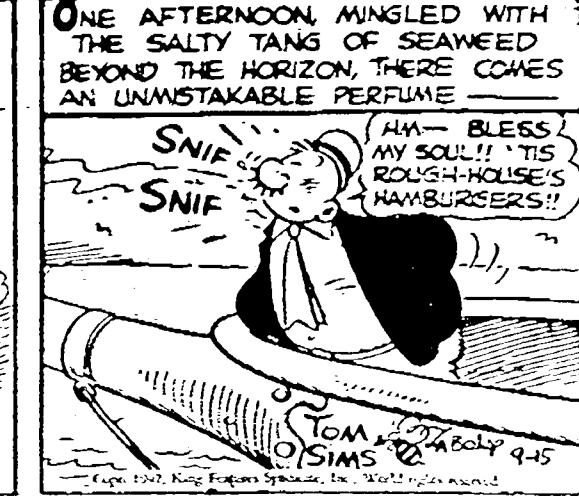
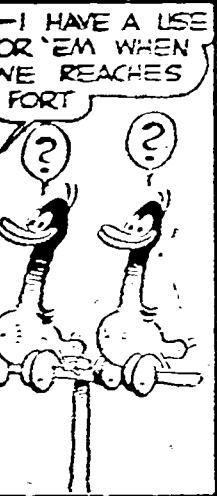
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POPEYE

By Tom Sims
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Deaths

JONES — On Friday, Sept. 12, 1947, Samuel H. husband of the late Ella (Maurer) Jones, aged 89 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the funeral home, 112 N. Washington St. on Tuesday at 2 p. m. Interment in Pottstown East End cemetery. Friends may call Monday evening 7 to 8:30 p. m.

KOURY — On Saturday, Sept. 13, 1947, Julia (nee Beacham) wife of the late Nicholas Koury, aged 65 years. Solemn High requiem Mass will be celebrated in St. Agnes' Catholic church on Wednesday at 10 a. m. Interment in St. Agnes' cemetery. Friends may call Tuesday evening 7 to 8:30 p. m. at the funeral home, 112 N. Washington St. (Hock).

SNIDSKY — In Northstown on Saturday, Sept. 13, 1947, Michael, husband of Susanna (Schnick) Snidsky. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the funeral home, 466 N. Franklin St. on Wednesday at 8:30 a. m. Burial services in St. John the Baptist Catholic church of the Greek Rite at 9 a. m. Interment St. John the Baptist cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home on Tuesday evening 7 to 8:30 p. m. (Wolfendale)

Card of Thanks

BOURINSKI — The family of the late George E. Bourinski desires to thank the kind neighbors and friends for the assistance, sympathy and the floral tributes and use of cars offered during their recent bereavement.

CONRAD

The family of the late James W. Conrad desires to thank the kind neighbors and friends for the assistance, sympathy and the floral tributes and use of cars offered during their recent bereavement.

TUROCZI

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Funeral Directors

KOPICKI
FUNERAL HOME
210 N. York St. Pottstown
Phone 2300

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Truman Family Attends Sabbath Services On Battleship, Praises Violin Soloist

ABOARD USS MISSOURI EN ROUTE TO NORFOLK, Sept. 14 (AP)—President Truman worshiped today with the crew of this floating White House in services held on the battleship's windswept fantail.

A moderate rain squall dampened the President and his family as the services started. It ended soon, however, and a glistening sun appeared as the young Catholic chaplain, Cmdr. Lawrence R. Schmeder, asked divine blessings in a brief prayer.

The chaplain, who calls himself, Ohio, his home, made no reference in his sermon to the presence of the President, Mrs. Truman and their daughter, Margaret. They sat in a row of chairs with members of the White House staff and Capt. Robert L. Denison, skipper of the Missouri.

Mr. Truman, who had been up for hours walking about the decks in white slacks and a sports shirt, appeared for the services in a freshly starched white suit.

The chaplain's text was from Romans 8:28, "To them that love God all things work together unto good, to such as according to his purpose are called to be saints."

When the thirty-minute service was over, Mr. Truman shook hands with the chaplain and with Calvin Hough, musician second class of Pensacola, Fla., who played a violin solo from Bach, accompanied on the piano by John Wiegert, musician first class of Washington.

Wiegert, who has been playing for the presidential party nightly at dinner, told reporters Mr. Truman is partial to Chopin, Mozart and Beethoven in his dinner hour requests.

The Missouri was about 650 miles east of Guadeloupe Island, one of the leeward islands in the Lesser Antilles, a chain forming the eastern boundary of the Caribbean sea. It reached the approximate position in which the hurricane originated Sept. 11 was first reported.

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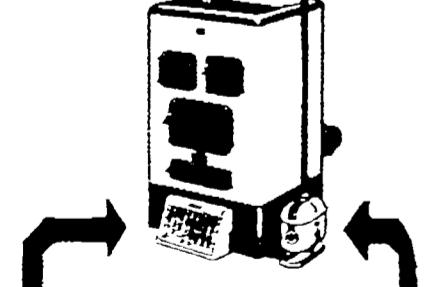
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Good Wills Hear Monthly Reports, Elect 5 Members

The monthly meeting of the Good Will Fire company was held yesterday morning at the firehouse with President Leslie D. Roads in the chair.

A report on the recent field day event at Phoenixville, when apparatus of the company participated in a varied program, was made by Chief Engineer Rollin Klink.

Klink also commented on the tests made of a new jet flow gage for use by the fire pumper when the source of supply is 100 feet away from the apparatus. The arrival of an oxygen pumping device, to be used by fire fighters when gas masks cannot be worn, also was announced by Klink.

Chairman Harry L. Werks, of the ambulance committee, reported there were 172 ambulance calls during August.

During the month, the company had only one fire call. This was for an automobile blaze in front of the Orioles' home on High street.

A contract for weather stripping the windows of the firehouse was awarded to Elmer Keller, South Pottstown.

An inspection of a new type am-

balance, custom built in Philadelphia, was made by members of the company the past week. It was proposed the Good Will ambulances be painted a grey color.

Five members were elected and four new applications were received.

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Trinity EC Congregation Bids Farewell To Woman on Start on Missionary Trip

Eighty-five of the 150 members of Trinity Evangelical Congregational church attended the farewell services yesterday morning for Mrs. Carroll C. Ness, Penns Creek, who will be leaving with her husband from New York for missionary work in Kenya colony, Africa.

Her husband, the Rev. Ness, was unable to attend the service because he was preaching at his home church, Penns Creek Evangelical Brethren church.

Mrs. Ness' address emphasized the conviction we are all debtors to the cause of Christ and that she and her husband are using their missionary work as a means of repaying this debt.

She expressed her thanks to the local church and the mission board of its denomination.

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